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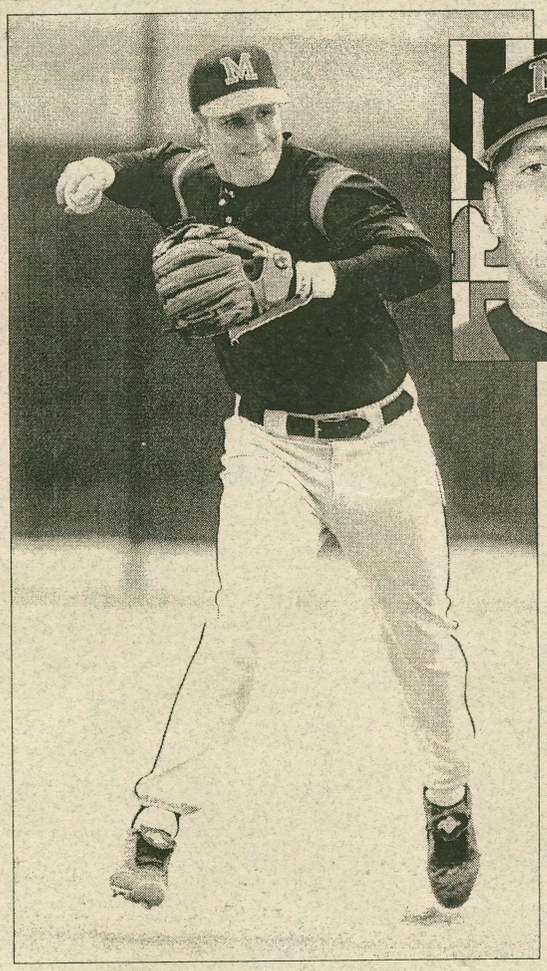
#4 Ga. Tech Yellow Jackets at Maryland Terrapins

April 12-14, 2002 ✪ Shipley Field, College Park, Md.



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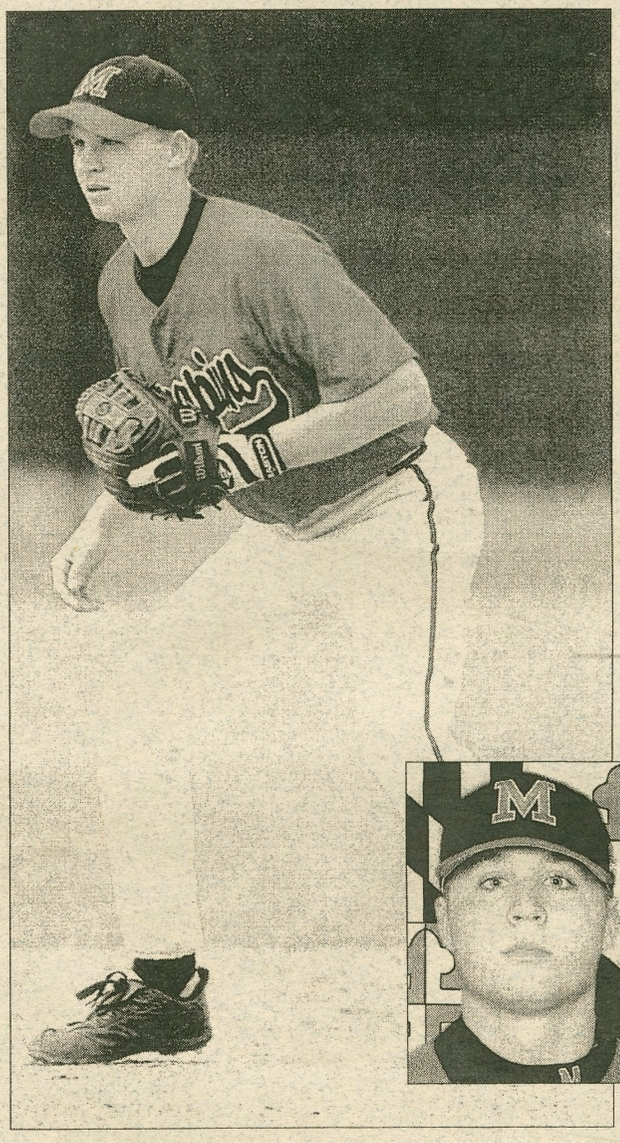
JOHN McCURDY



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Baseball Scorecard • Ga. Tech at Maryland

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No. Player, Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1 Dutton 10 (5)	(1) K		BB			(2) BB			(1) FO 8
2 Wright 33 (7)	(2) FO 7LF		L9			(1) FO 5 Foul			(2) FO 9
3 Riley 7 (DH)	(3) FO 8LF		(3) K			(3) 6-4-3 DP			(3) PO 6
4 Hicks 23 (3)		(1) FO 9LF		(1) BB			(1) 6-3		
5 Gaetti 8 (8)		(3) S L4 CS		(2) 6-4-3 DP			(2) K		
6 Morton 6 (2)		(2) FO 8LF		(3) K			(3) L1		
7 ~~Battle 32~~ (9) Maynor 11 PH 8th		BB			(1) SL1			(1) K	
8 Hargrave 25 (4)			(1) 6-3		(2) 4-3 Bunt			(2) PO 2 Foul	
9 Orvella 5 (6)			(2) FO 9LF		(3) FO 9			(3) FO 8	
44 Procbanka (7) 14 Ross	0 / 0	0 / 1	0 / 1	0 / 0	0 / 0	0 / 0	0 / 0	0 / 0	/
Runs/Hits									

No. Player, Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1 Whitmer 31 (7)	(1) 4LF		(1) 6-3		E1 (2) 2 Base Hit BB off		F8		
2 Swope 19 (9)	(2) K tp		L9		FC		E4 thrown to 3rd		
3 McCurdy 21 (6)	(3) FO 8LF		(2) 6-3		(3) PO 5		CS IBB		
4 Maxey 15 (3)		(1) 6-3	HR C			E4	(2) K		
5 Bafone 7 (5)		L8	(3) FO 9LF			(1) LO 7	(3) 3-1		
6 Frazier 25 (DH) Bass 22		(2) PO 1LF		(1) PO 1		(2) Foul 0 2		BB	
7 George 3 (4)		HR C		(2) PO 5		(3) K		(1) K	
8 McDonald 23 (2)				(3) K			(1) FC BB	FC L6 FC (2)	
9 Maxwell 40 (8)		(3) FO 7LF			(1) 2LF hit bat		FC Bunt	CS FC (3)	
32 Kane	0 / 6	2 / 2	2 / 2	0 / 0	0 / 0	0 / 6	2 / 2	1 / 1	/
Runs/Hits									

Maryland Terrapins Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown/High School (Last School)
3	Kyle George	INF/P	R/R	6-0	170	Jr.	Bel Air, Md./Bel Air (Wallace State CC)
4	Brad Lyons	RHP	R/R	6-1	195	Jr.	Massapequa, N.Y./Massapequa
5	Joseph Natale	OF	L/R	6-0	160	Fr.	Hoboken, N.J./Hoboken
6	Chris Davis	LHP	R/L	5-11	190	Fr.	Ellicott City, Md./Long Reach
7	Anthony Buffone	C/INF	L/R	6-0	190	So.	Manalapan, N.J./Christian Brothers Academy
8	Joe Sargent	INF	R/R	5-10	180	Fr.	Chesapeake Beach, Md./Mount St. Joseph's
10	Todd Ainsworth	RHP	R/R	6-3	215	R-Jr.	Hershey, Pa./Hershey
11	Steve Schmoll	RHP	R/R	6-2	190	Jr.	Rockville, Md./Magruder
12	Ray Gemmill	INF	R/R	6-2	200	R-Jr.	Silver Spring, Md./Paint Branch
13	Matt Basinger	RHP	R/R	6-1	195	Jr.	Conellsville, Pa./Conellsville
14	Jordan Wilson	INF	R/R	6-3	190	Fr.	Frederick, Md./St. John's at Prospect Hall
15	Jason Maxey	C/INF	L/R	5-10	205	Fr.	Columbia, Md./Hammond
17	Chris Clem	RHP	R/R	5-11	200	Fr.	Berwyn, Pa./Conestoga
18	Brian Jarosinski	C/OF	R/R	6-2	185	Fr.	Olney, Md./Sherwood
19	Matt Swope	OF/INF	R/R	6-0	190	Sr.	New Carrollton, Md./DeMatha
20	Ken Beck	RHP	R/R	6-2	195	Sr.	Laurel, Md./Hammond
21	John McCurdy	SS	R/R	6-2	200	Jr.	Crofton, Md./Arundel
22	Jonny Bass	OF/P	L/L	5-10	170	Jr.	Charlotte Hall, Md./Chopticon (So. Maryland)
23	Kevin McDonald	C/INF	L/R	6-1	215	Sr.	Rockaway, N.J./Morristown-Beard
25	Will Frazier	OF/P	R/R	6-0	185	Fr.	Mitchellville, Md./Riverdale Baptist
27	Josh Andrews	LHP	S/L	6-2	180	Fr.	Monrovia, Md./Urbana
28	Chris Bowen	P/OF	L/L	6-4	190	Fr.	Glenwood, Md./Glenelg
30	Brooks Norris	P/INF	R/R	6-0	225	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Archbishop Curley
31	Daryl Whitmer	OF	R/R	6-0	195	R-Jr.	Waldorf, Md./Waldorf
32	Sean Kane	RHP	L/R	6-6	225	Fr.	West Chester, Pa./West Chester East
33	Mike Dallmeyer	RHP	R/R	6-2	200	Jr.	Enola, Pa./East Pennsboro
36	Derek Hoffman	RHP	R/R	6-8	220	Jr.	Hagerstown, Md/Hancock (Hagerstown CC)
39	Jared Stuart	RHP	R/R	6-6	225	Jr.	Corning, N.Y./Corning West
40	Justin Maxwell	OF	R/R	6-4	215	Fr.	Olney, Md./Sherwood

Head Coach: Terry Rupp, Tampa '88
Assistant Coach: Gregg Kilby, Southern Wesleyan, '91; **Assistant Coach:** Ben Bachmann, Lewis '97
Volunteer Assistant Coach: J.C. Nolan, Tampa '00

2002 Schedule: 21-12, 1-8 ACC

Date	Opponent	Score/Time
F15-17	Charleston Crab House Shootout	
F15	vs. James Madison	L, 3-10
F16	at The Citadel	W, 8-6
F17	vs. James Madison	W, 10-6
F22-24	Charleston Cup Challenge	
F22	vs. LeMoyne	L, 7-16
F23	at Charleston	W, 13-2
F24	vs. Marshall	W, 10-3
M1	PACE	W, 5-3
M1	PACE	W, 21-1
M2	PACE	W, 9-6 (11)
M5	UMES (DH)	W, 22-1, W, 23-0
M6	at Towson	W, 11-10
M8	VERMONT	W, 23-6
M9	VERMONT	W, 11-4
M10	VERMONT	W, 9-3
M12	GEORGETOWN	W, 8-1
M15	at North Carolina*	L, 3-4
M16	at North Carolina*	L, 2-8
M17	at North Carolina*	L, 8-20
M19	ST. JOSEPH'S	W, 6-4
M21	UMBC	W, 10-4
M22	BROWN	W, 9-1
M27	GEORGE MASON	L, 6-8 (12)
M29	at #1 Clemson*	L, 6-13
M30	at #1 Clemson*	L, 7-16
M31	at #1 Clemson*	L, 2-7
A2	at William & Mary	W, 14-3
A3	TEMPLE	W, 8-4
A5	VIRGINIA*	L, 0-5
A6	VIRGINIA* (TV)	W, 10-3
A7	VIRGINIA*	L, 7-8
A9	at George Mason	L, 1-2 (7)
A10	NAVY	W, 5-4
A12	GEORGIA TECH*	7:00 p.m.
A13	GEORGIA TECH*	7:00 p.m.
A14	GEORGIA TECH*	1:00 p.m.
A16	PENN STATE	7:00 p.m.
A17	at Navy	5:00 p.m.
A19	at Wake Forest*	3:30 p.m.
A20	at Wake Forest*	1:30 p.m.
A21	at Wake Forest*	1:30 p.m.
A23	TOWSON	7:00 p.m.
A24	COPPIN STATE	4:00 p.m.
A26	DUKE*	7:00 p.m.
A27	DUKE*	7:00 p.m.
A28	DUKE*	1:00 p.m.
A30	at Georgetown	7:00 p.m.
M1	at UMBC	3:00 p.m.
M3	NC STATE*	7:00 p.m.
M4	NC STATE*	7:00 p.m.
M5	NC STATE*	1:00 p.m.
M7	COPPIN ST.	4:00 p.m.
M10	at Florida State*	7:00 p.m.
M11	at Florida State* (TV)	7:00 p.m.
M12	at Florida State*	1:30 p.m.
M15	WILLIAM & MARY	7:00 p.m.
M21-26	ACC Championship at St. Petersburg, Fla.	

** Denotes ACC Game*

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No.	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown/High School (Last School)
1	Matthew Boggs	2B/OF	L/R	5-10	166	R-Sr.	Dalton, Ga./Dalton
2	Jake Hall	INF	R/R	6-0	173	Fr.	Raleigh, N.C./Athens Drive
3	Eric Patterson	INF	L/R	5-10	160	Fr.	Kennesaw, Ga./Harrison
4	Davis Myers	INF	R/R	5-10	184	R-So.	Duluth, Ga./Chattahoochee
5	Victor Menocal	INF/P	R/R	6-3	209	Sr.	Gainesville, Ga./Gainesville
6	Cameron Lane	INF/C	R/R	5-9	177	R-Fr.	Columbus, Ga./Columbus
7	Tyler Parker	C	R/R	6-2	213	Jr.	Marietta, Ga./Lassiter
8	Chris Goodman	INF/P	R/R	5-11	170	Jr.	Marietta, Ga./Lassiter (NC State)
11	Mike Nickeas	C/3B	R/R	6-0	189	Fr.	Westlake Village, Calif./Westlake
12	Jason Perry	1B/OF	L/R	6-0	199	Jr.	Jonesboro, Ga./Jonesboro
14	Matt Murton	OF	R/R	6-1	212	So.	McDonough, Ga./Eagles Landing
15	Brandon Boggs	OF	S/R	5-11	176	Fr.	Marietta, Ga./Pope
16	Matthew Swain	OF	L/R	6-1	200	R-Jr.	Reidsville, Ga./Tattnall County
18	Mike Andreas	RHP	R/R	6-6	215	Fr.	Hanover, Pa./South Western
19	Jeremy Slayden	OF	L/R	6-0	185	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn./Oakland
20	Brian Burks	RHP	R/R	5-9	168	So.	Alpharetta, Ga./Chattahoochee
21	Clifton Remole	1B/OF	L/L	6-0	184	Fr.	Marietta, Ga./Osborne
22	Jon Henry Kail	OF	R/R	6-1	199	Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./Baldwin
23	Kevin Guyette	RHP	R/R	6-3	205	Fr.	Paradise Valley, Ariz./Chaparral
24	Garrett Groce	IF/OF	R/R	6-1	182	Fr.	Columbus, Ga./Columbus
26	Wes Rynders	OF	R/R	6-0	178	Sr.	Marietta, Ga./Pope
27	Kyle Schmidt	RHP	R/R	6-3	219	Fr.	Palm Harbor, Fla./Dunedin
28	Kyle Bakker	LHP	L/L	6-9	262	So.	Omaha, Neb./Millard West
29	Aaron Walker	LHP	L/L	6-3	194	So.	East Palestine, Ohio/East Palestine
30	Chandler Miller	RHP	R/R	6-2	192	Fr.	Albany, Ga./Deerfield Academy
31	Nick Wagner	RHP	R/R	6-2	217	Fr.	Springfield, Ohio/Springfield North
32	Philip Perry	RHP	R/R	6-3	208	Jr.	Marietta, Ga./Walton
34	Jordan Crews	RHP	R/R	6-4	216	Fr.	Valdosta, Ga./Lowndes County
35	Jeff Kindel	LHP	L/L	6-3	186	Fr.	Marietta, Ga./Sprayberry
36	Jeff Watchko	RHP	R/R	6-3	192	Jr.	Roswell, Ga./Roswell
37	Andrew Kown	RHP	R/R	6-7	182	Fr.	Marietta, Ga./Walker
38	Mike Trapani	INF	R/R	5-10	173	Fr.	Dunwoody, Ga./Marist
40	Drew Taylor	LHP	L/L	6-4	185	Fr.	Toronto, Ontario/Upper Canada College

Head Coach: Danny Hall, Miami, Ohio '77
Associate Head Coach: Bobby Moranda, Eastern Kentucky '86; **Assistant Coach:** Scott Stricklin, Kent State '95

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Date	Opponent	Score/Time
F9	at Georgia Southern	W, 10-2
F10	at Georgia Southern	W, 7-4
F15	Tennessee Tech	W, 12-3
F16	Tennessee Tech	W, 21-0
F17	Tennessee Tech	W, 17-3
F19	Wofford	W, 12-1
F22	vs. Coastal Carolina	W, 2-1
F23	vs. South Carolina	L, 3-8
F24	vs. Va. Commonwealth	W, 8-2
M3	Georgia State	W, 12-5
M5	East Tennessee State	W, 8-5
M8	Winthrop	W, 6-4
M9	Winthrop	W, 7-5
M10	Winthrop	W, 8-1
M13	at Georgia State	W, 11-7
M15	at Wake Forest	L, 9-10
M16	at Wake Forest	L, 5-11
M19	Eastern Kentucky	W, 6-5
M20	Eastern Kentucky	W, 13-9
M23	Gardner-Webb	W, 9-3
M24	Gardner-Webb	W, 6-2
M26	at Georgia	L, 1-7
M27	Georgia	W, 9-1
M29	at NC State	W, 6-4
M30	at NC State	W, 20-12
M30	at NC State	W, 3-0
A2	Georgia Southern	W, 4-3
A3	Georgia Southern	W, 9-3
A5	Duke	W, 4-2
A6	Duke	W, 8-7
A7	Duke	W, 15-7
A9	at Auburn	W, 9-5
A10	Western Carolina	W, 2-1
A12	at Maryland	7:00 p.m.
A13	at Maryland	7:00 p.m.
A14	at Maryland	1:00 p.m.
A16	Auburn	7:00 p.m.
A19	at Florida State	7:00 p.m.
A20	at Florida State	1:00 p.m.
A21	at Florida State	1:30 p.m.
A23	Mercer	7:00 p.m.
A24	Georgia	6:30 p.m.
A26	Virginia	7:00 p.m.
A27	Virginia	7:00 p.m.
A28	Virginia	1:30 p.m.
M4	Clemson	7:00 p.m.
M5	Clemson	1:00 p.m.
M6	Clemson	7:00 p.m.
M8	at Mercer	7:00 p.m.
M10	Miami	7:00 p.m.
M11	Miami	7:00 p.m.
M12	Miami	1:30 p.m.
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TERPS TO HOST NO. 4 GEORGIA TECH THIS WEEKEND

- The Maryland baseball team welcomes one of the hottest teams in the country to Shipley Field this weekend when No.4 Georgia Tech visits Shipley Field. The Yellow Jackets (29-4) have won 11 consecutive games since losing 7-1 at Georgia March 26. The Terrapins (21-12) are fresh off a comeback 5-4 win over Navy Wednesday at Shipley Field.
- The Yellow Jackets are also ranked No. 5 in the *Collegiate Baseball News* Top 30 poll while the Jackets are ranked sixth in *Baseball America's* Top 25. No. 4 Georgia Tech is also one of four ACC schools that are ranked in the Baseball Weekly/ESPN Coaches' Top 25 along with No. 1 Clemson, No. 6 Wake Forest and No. 8 Florida State. North Carolina is the final ACC club ranked in the coaches' Top 25, at No. 24.
- Game times for this weekend's series are 7 p.m. for both Friday and Saturday's contests while the series finale on Sunday is slated to begin at 1 p.m. Following the Georgia Tech series, Big 10 foe Penn State visits Shipley Field on Tuesday (April 16) at 7 p.m. to round out the Terps' current five-game homestand.

MCCURDY AMONG THE NATION'S ELITE

- Maryland junior shortstop **John McCurdy** (Crofton, Md.) has put together a season worthy of All-American consideration. The third-year player leads Maryland in every offensive category and also ranks first in the ACC in several categories and is among the nation's leaders in several other areas.

John McCurdy

- As of April 7, McCurdy ranked third in Division I-A in batting with a .488 average. He is also among the national leaders in home runs per game (T-5th, 0.47) and RBIs per game (2nd, 1.93).
- In the ACC, McCurdy ranks first in batting average, hits, home runs, RBIs, total bases and slugging percentage. He is on pace to become the first ACC Triple Crown winner since 1999 when Marshall McDougall led the ACC in batting (.419), home runs (28) and RBIs (106).
- For the season, McCurdy is batting .496 with 67 hits, 15 home runs, 60 RBIs, 130 total bases, 16 stolen bases and a .963 slugging percentage.

ON DECK: NO. 4 GEORGIA TECH

- The schedule does not get any easier for Maryland as No. 4 Georgia Tech comes to Shipley Field. The Yellow Jackets are second in the nation's toughest conference with a 6-2 mark. In ACC play, Tech has swept NC State and Duke and lost two games at Wake Forest.
- As a team, Tech is batting .316 including five starters who are hitting over .300. Senior Victor Menocal leads his club with a .426 average and set a new school record with a 31-game hitting streak this season. The streak was snapped in Wednesday's 9-1 win over Western Carolina after Menocal finished 0-for-3. Freshman Eric Patterson is second on the team with a .373 batting average. Patterson is also the younger brother of Corey Patterson, who is currently with the Chicago Cubs.
- On the hill, Tech has an impressive team ERA of 3.30. Sophomore southpaw Kyle Bakker leads the team with a perfect 8-0 record including a 2.40 ERA. The 6-9 Nebraska native also ranks first on the team with 63.2 innings pitched.
- Since 1924, Maryland is 16-45 vs. the Yellow Jackets and have lost 10 straight in the series. The last time the Terrapins defeated Tech was May 9, 1998 when Maryland topped the Jackets 4-1 at Shipley Field.

THE FRIENDLY CONFINES OF SHIPLEY FIELD

- Maryland baseball has called Shipley Field home since 1965, and in 2002, the Terrapins are off to one of their best starts ever at home. The Terps are 15-3 this season at Shipley.
- All-time, the Terrapins have played excellent baseball in front of the home crowd at Shipley. The Terps are 435-250-6 (.638) all-time at Shipley and have had just four losing seasons in 38 seasons of baseball at the friendly confines.

FEAR THE TURTLE (ESPECIALLY IN COLLEGE PARK)

- The 2001-02 season has been quite a year for Maryland Athletics. The football team won the ACC for the first time since 1985 and finished 10-2 along with an Orange Bowl bid. On the hardwood, the men's basketball team cut down the nets for the first time and won the 2002 National Championship in Atlanta earlier in the week. Now, the baseball team has joined the party and is off to its best start since 1981 with its 20-12 record and is on pace to shatter the school record for victories.
- All three teams have been almost unbeatable at home this season. The football team finished a perfect 7-0 at Byrd Stadium while basketball closed out the final season in Cole Field House with an unblemished record of 15-0. Finally, **Terry Rupp's** baseball Terps are 15-3 at home.
- The three teams have a combined record of 37-3 (.925) in front of the home crowds in College Park.

ACC Standings

Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Clemson	5-1	.833	27-2	.931
Georgia Tech	6-2	.750	27-4	.871
North Carolina	9-3	.750	22-11	.667
Wake Forest	8-3	.727	25-6	.806
Virginia	7-5	.583	18-15	.545
Florida State	3-6	.333	30-11	.732
NC State	2-7	.222	21-13	.618
MARYLAND	**1-8**	**.111**	**20-11**	**.645**
Duke	0-6	.000	17-16	.515

as of April 8, 2002

RECORDS WERE MADE TO BE BROKEN

- Senior **Matt Swope** (New Carrollton, Md.) became Maryland's leader in career hits in the Terps' 14-3 victory over William & Mary on April 2. Swope went 3-for-6 vs. the Tribe to break **Scott Patterson's** (1985-88) record of 214 hits.

SWOPE IN THE RECORD BOOKS

Category	Place/Total
Hits	1st, 219
Runs	T-1st, 158
At Bats	3rd, 676
Stolen Bases	6th, 42
Walks	T-6th, 85
RBIs	9th, 108
Doubles	T-7th, 36

- Swope is also nearing another milestone, needing just one more run scored to become the school's all-time leader.

THE BIG MAC ATTACK

- **John McCurdy** has joined an elite group of Maryland baseball players after his 15th home run of the season in the 5-4 win over Navy. McCurdy became just the seventh player in Maryland history to hit at least 15 home runs in a single season. The long ball also moved McCurdy into seventh place on the single-season home run chart. **Derek Hacopian** (1992) holds the single-season record with 23 homers.
- With McCurdy's two RBIs vs. Navy, it improved his total to 60 on the year which places him in a tie for seventh place on the single-season RBI list at Maryland with **Ron Hartman** (60, 1996).

UM HOME RUNS LEADERS

Player	HR	Year
1. Derek Hacopian	23	1992
2. Alex Pauley	19	1985
3. Paul Schager	18	1986
4. Craig Munroe	16	1999
4. Kevin Haverbusch	16	1998
4. Ron Hartman	16	1996
7. John McCurdy	**15**	**2002**

- McCurdy is also the first player in school history to have 15 home runs and 15 stolen bases in the same season. He leads the team with 15 home runs and 16 stolen bases.